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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

I think that the proposed settlement is bad idea. I do NOT agree with it. I do NOT think it is fair for me as a consumer and that I will have little choice in the software I purchase in the future if the settlement continues.

Not only am I a consumer, I am also a programmer, with a Bachelor's degree in Computer Science. Too many times have I seen Microsoft illegally use its monopolistic position to make sure that I and my clients have only one choice. Under Microsoft's licenses, we have little rights to freedom. Microsoft has gone to great lengths to eliminate any other competition. The proposed settlement does little to rectify that.

Please reconsider the rights of the citizen's of the United States of America.

Many thanks in advance for your time.

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